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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence *AD*
FROM : PB/NSC Coordinator
SUBJECT : DCI Testimony Before SSCI and Senate Budget
Committee (U)

1. Attached are your briefing book and two background folders. (U)

2. Briefing Book

a. Overview. This has been redone, with your revisions incorporated into the text.

--With regard to the three items you had "checked," thereby noting interest in discussing or getting more supporting information, Arnold has provided a memo (hedging against the likelihood that time may not allow a discussion). Arnold's memo is at the front of the book.

-- has reviewed your comments on the last section (to be used for SSCI only) and has reworked it. It now gives a better treatment of the subject and John believes it complements what you will be telling the SSCI Budget Subcommittee on Wednesday.

--Allan has worked in your other points (including your questions on defense spending) and has organized your copy of the graphics so they track with the text in all sections.

--As a reminder, the Overview has been coded as follows:

- Blue lines on right margin note information which addresses Budget Committee questions (this is true in other sections as well)

- Green lines on right margin note information specifically for SSCI.

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- Red brackets on left note material which could be dropped when going from your target 90 minute SSCI presentation to 40 minute Budget Committee presentation.

b. Other sections have been changed or updated as necessary.

--Strategic section per your earlier review/discussion with []

--You should note that in the Middle East-South Asia briefing, the entire Iran and Afghan sections have been redone, and a new Afghan chronology is appended at the left under the charts. []

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3. Backup Folders

These have not been changed since Friday, but you most likely did not have a chance to review them.

a. One contains Senate Budget Committee Qs and As

--Left Side: Senator Muskie's letter (with addendum) followed by answers developed in response (answers to them have been woven into your text).

--Right Side: Staffer John Tillson's questions with answers (if you read any back-up material tonight, recommend you look at this).

b. Second folder deals with questions which we suspect may arise.

--Left Side: Re General Rogers' testimony before SASC.

--Right Side: Possible Qs and As re Soviet activity in Transcaucasus. []

4. As a reminder, Messrs. [] will be along as backup. [] Allan will be there as coordinator. []

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Attachments:
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